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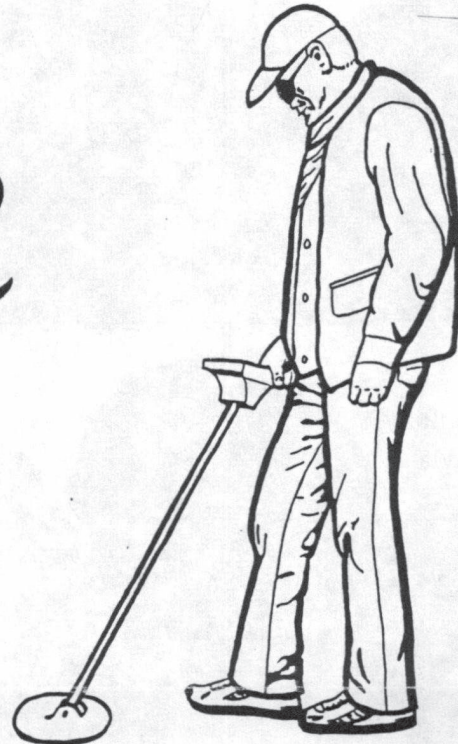
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* * * * PRIZES * * * * * THIS MEETING * * *

Promptness Prize: Free drawing for
those who come to the meeting on time

Game Prizes: Earn tickets to win from
an assortment of selected prizes

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Thursday, Mar 24, 7:00 PM
Redwood Multipurpose Center
3100 S. Redwood Road, SLC, UT

Ralph Gold
Will talk about
Screening



President's Message

I need more money, and more time to spend it! I would like

to add this note and these Roman coins to my collection some day.

Rich



Marc Antony
& Octavia

Caracalla
196-217

War Galley
With 5
Oarsmen

Pompey The Great 63-47 BC

Commodus 166-192
Billion Tetradrachm
Of Alexandria of Egypt
his bust and ship with
billowing sail, pulling
away Pharos Light House,
one of the seven wonders of the ancient world



March 24, 2005 NUTS Meeting

At the Redwood Multipurpose Center

Promptness Prize

Those who come to the meeting on time and sign the log book, might win the drawing for a nice coin.

Ralph Gold Will talk about various types of screens, and how he locates a good spot to work. Ralph is a past president of the NUTS, and has been a member for many, many years.

Find of the Month begins this month. Bring all you have found since the November meeting last year. Rules and categories are in this newsletter. Chris Benson is coming out of hibernation up in Cache Valley, and will be on hand to record the entries.

Nuts Medal Design The final pick for this year's medal will be made this month, since Don Swain wasn't there last month. Bring in your drawings and suggestions.

Discuss drafting new bylaws, club hunt location, and activities for this year.

Game of Skill Try for your favorite prize, and have fun.

Last Meeting We saw the ANA video about paper money, and looked at some examples that people brought in. We learned how the phrase "Banned in Boston" originated. There was some US money with pictures unacceptable to the wives of the bankers in Boston. The offending pictures were soon replaced.

Phil Lavagna gave us the latest news about the many miles of train track washed out by the heavy rain this winter on the Los Angeles and Salt Lake Route. He also had other information about other Salt Lake railroads.



Thirty-Third Annual

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March 25, 26, & 27



2005

ADMISSION \$3.00 - FAMILY \$5.00
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Marriot Hotel - 247 24th Street - Ogden Utah

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Sunday-10 A.M. - 4 P.M.

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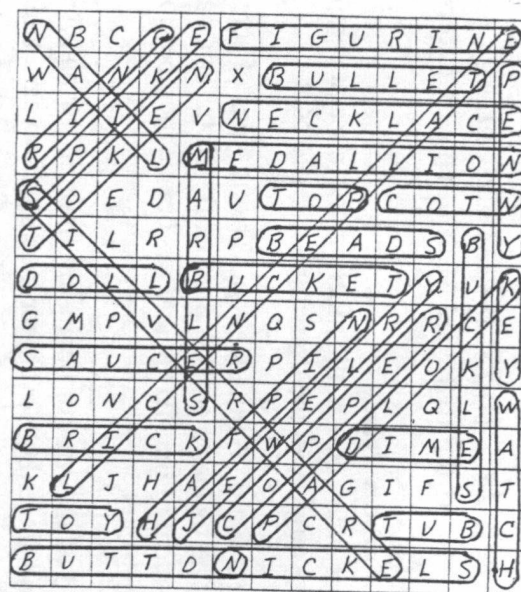
NUTS Word Game: How many words can you make from the letters in

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Use those words to complete the story below.

The weather is _____ longer too cold, but _____ yet too _____. Today, I
 _____ my detector out to the truck, and my _____ and my first aid _____
 to start the first _____ of the year. _____ doesn't _____ to see if _____
 batteries are still _____. Sitting _____
 on a _____ log, surrounded
 by a _____ of new-found coins, and rings,
 and _____ treasures, _____ feel like a
 king sitting _____ a _____.

Those who bring their completed story to the meeting will get a chocolate Easter egg. Children who find at least some of the words will also get a chocolate egg.



Answer to last month's word find

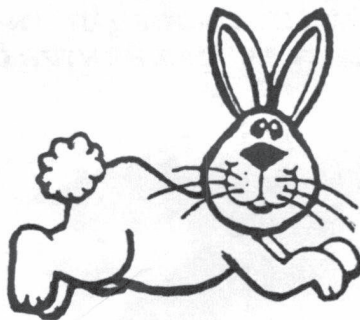
Find of the Month Rules

- 1. ONLY N.U.T.S. MEMBERS CAN ENTER ITEMS IN THE FIND OF THE MONTH COMPETITION.**
- 2. ENTRIES IN FIND OF THE MONTH MUST HAVE BEEN FOUND SINCE THE LAST MONTHLY MEETING (EXCEPTION: FINDS FOR THE FEBRUARY MEETING CAN BE FROM NOVEMBERS MEETING THROUGH DECEMBER AND JANUARY TILL THE FEBRUARY MEETING)**
- 3. A MEMBER NEEDS TO BE PRESENT AT THE CLUB MEETING TO ENTER THEIR ITEMS.**
- 4. AT THE FEBRUARY MEETING, MEMBERS MAY DISPLAY THEIR FINDS FROM THE PRIOR YEAR. PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED FOR THE THREE BEST DISPLAYS. THIS HAS NO BEARING ON THE FINDS OF THE MONTH COMPETITION.**
- 5. AN ITEM CAN ONLY BE ENTERED IN THE NAME OF THE PERSON WHO ACTUALLY FOUND IT. FOR EXAMPLE, IF JUNIOR FINDS IT, IT MUST BE ENTERED IN JUNIORS NAME AND NOT DAD'S NAME EVEN IF JUNIOR IS USING DAD'S DETECTOR.**
- 6. ONLY ONE ITEM MAY BE ENTERED IN A SINGLE CATEGORY. EXAMPLE, A GROUP OF COINS FOUND TOGETHER CANNOT BE ENTERED AS ONE ITEM. BUT A GROUP OF COINS THAT ARE ATTACHED OR FUSED TOGETHER WOULD BE COUNTED AS ONE ITEM.**
- 7. IF A MEMBER ATTEMPTS TO ENTER AN ITEM IN A CATEGORY FOR WHICH THE ITEM DOES NOT QUALIFY, THE MEMBER WILL BE ASKED TO ENTER IT IN THE CORRECT CATEGORY OR REMOVE IT AS AN ENTRY.**
- 8. QUESTIONS ABOUT FIND OF THE MONTH COMPETITION SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE CLUB WAGONMASTERS. THE WAGONMASTER WILL BE THE FINAL JUDGES ON ANY SITUATION THAT ARISES.**
- 9. POINTS ON THE VOTING WILL BE BASED ON THE FOLLOWING:**

A. FIRST PLACE	4 POINTS
B. SECOND PLACE	3 POINTS
C. THIRD PLACE	2 POINTS
D. ENTRY OF ITEM	1 POINT
- 10. EACH CATEGORY WINNER WILL RECEIVE A MERCURY DIME**
- 11. ALL THAT MONTH'S POINTS WILL BE ADDED UP AND INDIVIDUAL WITH THE MOST POINTS WILL BE TREASURE HUNTER OF THE MONTH AND AWARDED A PRIZE.**

Find of the Month Categories

1. U.S. COIN: ANY COIN OF LEGAL TENDER MINTED IN THE U.S.
2. FOREIGN COIN: ANY COIN OF LEGAL TENDER MINTED IN A FOREIGN COUNTRY BUT NOT MINTED IN THE U.S.
3. TOKEN: ANY COMMERCIAL TRADE TOKEN GOOD FOR SOME VALUE IN TRADE. (DOES NOT INCLUDE GOOD LUCK TOKENS, PRESIDENTIAL TOKENS, COMMEMORATIVE MEDALLIONS, ETC.)
4. JEWELRY: ANY JEWELRY ITEM INCLUDING RINGS, CUFF LINKS, WATCH FOBS, PINS, NECKLACES, BROOCHES, MEDALLIONS, CHARMS, ETC.
5. ARTIFACT: ANY MAN-MADE ARTIFACT INCLUDING ARROWHEADS, BOTTLES, JEWELRY, ETC.
6. BUTTON: ANY CLOTHING FASTENER OR SNAP (DOES NOT INCLUDE ADVERTISING OR POLITICAL PIN-ON BUTTONS)
7. MARBLE: ANY GLASS, AGATE, CLAY, WOODEN, ETC. MARBLE.
8. NON-METAL: ANY ITEM NOT CONTAINING METAL INCLUDING BOTTLES (WITHOUT METAL CAPS), ARROWHEADS, PLASTIC TOYS, GLASS ITEMS, WOODEN ITEMS, ROCKS(NO METAL INCLUDED), GEMS, ETC. NO MARBLES MAY BE USED IN THIS CATEGORY!!.
9. BEST TREASURE HUNT FIND: THIS INCLUDES ANYTHING FOUND AT OUR CLUB SPONSORED TREASURE HUNT FOR THAT MONTH ONLY.
10. OLDEST U.S. COIN: OLDEST U.S. LEGAL TENDER COIN THAT IS NOT A CENT
11. OLDEST U.S. CENT: OLDEST U.S. LEGAL TENDER CENT
12. MOST VALUABLE U.S. COIN: U.S. LEGAL TENDER COIN WITH A GRADED VALUE OF \$20.00 OR MORE BASED ON AN APPRAISAL FROM A REPUTABLE COIN DEALER OR THE CURRENT RED BOOK PRICE GUIDE OF U.S. COINS. IN THE ABSENCE OF AN APPRAISAL, THE WAGON MASTERS WILL MAKE THE FINAL DETERMINATION AS TO THE COINS VALUE.
13. PEOPLES CHOICE BOTTLE: ANY BOTTLE. OTHER LIKE ITEMS IS UP TO THE WAGONMASTER'S DISCRETION TO DETERMINE IF THE ITEM CAN BE PLACED IN THIS CATEGORY OR THE NON METAL CATEGORY.



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Don 801-775-9665

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